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AERIAL PORT SQUADRONS

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This mission directive prescribes the mission, organization, and responsibilities for Air Force Reserve Command (AFRC) aerial port squadrons (APS).

1. Mission :

1.1. Peacetime. The primary mission of APS is to train to operate fixed and/or nonfixed air terminal facilities at aerial ports and to administer commercial transportation services. Fixed terminal facilities operations include all services required for effective movement of passengers, mail, and cargo by military or military contract aircraft.

1.2. Wartime/Emergencies. Governed by gaining command directives upon mobilization.

2. Command . APS are USAF-controlled AFRC units assigned to AFRC operations groups (OG) and regional support groups (RSG). Their peacetime structure maintains effective operations with the least expenditure of resources and minimizes organizational turbulence upon wartime mobilization. APS functionally align for structural compatibility with their active duty counterparts.

3. Assigned Forces . While in peacetime status and during 2 weeks of annual training, APS are under the direct control and supervision of the OGs and RSGs to which assigned. Under a Presidential call-up, pursuant to Title 10 U.S.C. 12304, administrative jurisdiction remains unchanged. Operational control transfers to the commander of the gaining command. Under mobilization authority, command jurisdiction transfers to the commander of the unit to which assigned.

4. Relationships to Other Units . Established command channels apply. Communicate directly with the active duty advisory unit/active duty advisors on matters relating to training, inspection, and safety. Send a copy of such correspondence to the respective unit to which assigned.

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Attachment 1
APPLICABILITY

UNIT	LOCATION
25	Maxwell AFB AL
26	Kelly AFB TX
27	Minn-St Paul IAP ARS MN
30	Niagara Falls IAP ARS NY
31	Willow Grove ARS PA
32	Pittsburgh IAP ARS PA
34	Gen Mitchell IAP ARS WI
35	McGuire AFB NJ
36	McChord AFB WA
38	Charleston AFB SC
39	Peterson AFB CO
41	Keesler AFB MS
42	Westover ARB MA
44	Anderson AFB Guam
45	Travis AFB CA
46	Dover AFB DE
48	Hickam AFB HI
50	March ARB CA
53	Pope AFB NC
55	Travis AFB CA
56	March ARB CA
58	Westover ARB MA
67	Hill AFB UT
69	Andrews AFB MD
70	Homestead ARS FL
71	Langley AFB VA
72	Tinker AFB OK
73	Carswell ARS TX
74	Kelly AFB TX

76	Youngstown-Warren Regional Appt ARS OH
80	Dobbins ARB GA
81	Charleston AFB SC
82	Travis AFB CA
83	Portland IAP OR
84	Greenville SC
85	Hanscom AFB MA
86	McChord AFB WA
87	Wright-Patterson AFB OH
88	McGuire AFB NJ
92	Wyoming City PA
94	Robins AFB GA
96	Little Rock AFB AR